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FIRST SEMESTER M.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2018

Education

MED 03—TRENDS AND ISSUES IN EDUCATION

(2017 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What is a "composite institution" ?
2. Give any *four* uses of "edublogs".
3. What is mind mapping ?
4. Write a short note on RMSA.
5. What are the objectives of environmental education according to UNEP ?

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

Part B

Answer any eight questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

6. Discuss the underlying principles in the construction of constructivist curriculum.
7. Explain the characteristics of Web based learning.
8. Explain the salient features of MOODLE as an effective Learning Management System (LMS).
9. Write a note on open book examination.
10. What are the merits and demerits of online examination?
11. Explain the concept of Virtual Learning Environment.
12. Explain the salient features of constructivist approach to learning.
13. Enumerate the merits of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE).
14. What are the major objectives of RUSA?
15. Give your recommendations on the areas in which gender equity in education has to be realised in the Indian context ?

Turn over

16. What are the different avenues for professional growth of teachers in the 21st century ?
17. Discuss the relevance of 'Peace Education' in schools.

(8 × 5 = 40 marks)

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

18. What are the important aspects of NCTE regulations 2014 which brought radical changes in the teacher education system in India ? Elucidate.
19. "TPACK helps a teacher to meet the challenges of integrating ICT effectively in 21st century teaching". Elucidate.
20. What are the educational issues pertaining to the socially and culturally marginalised sections of the society ? Discuss.
21. What are the major challenges and issues pertaining in the inclusive education of CWSN in secondary education ?

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)